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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We oppose the USTelecom petition that would limit competition in broadband service.

We live in a rural mountainous area.

We currently get good DSL service at a fair price.

We do not want to be forced to pay higher prices to a large provider.

Mike Trout